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Kate and Michael,

CARB is considering whether to go visit GB for audits in the fall. If I remember correctly, GB doesn't actually rely on any CARB audits to fulfill its requirements, right?

-Meredith

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Date: 01/27/2011 09:33 AM

Subject: RE: Great Basin Audit Schedule

Meredith,

I just had one thought on this...two flow audits are required annually. Does the district conduct the second audit? Or does the EPA contractor conduct the audit? The audits need to be 5-7 months apart. Merrin

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Here is what Chris Lanane at Great Basin had to say...

I have not heard anything from ARB about any audits. January through May is our busiest time of the year because that is the most severe dust season. It is the worst time of year in which to schedule audits. They can try to audit during that period, but if there are

storms, we will turn them away. We cannot have audits taking place during wind events. Usually they audit us in September-October, so I am surprised to hear that they are considering auditing us in March-April.

Any chance that the audits could be Sept-Oct with no wiggle room on the part of GB?

-Meredith

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From: "Wright, Merrin@ARB" <mwright@arb.ca.gov>

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Date: 01/25/2011 11:00 AM
Subject: Great Basin Audit Schedule

Meredith,

It looks like we are planning Trona and Coso Junction the week of March 7. All of the PM and met audits we are planning for the weeks of April 11 and 18. Thanks. Merrin

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